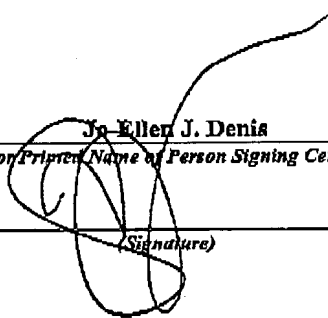


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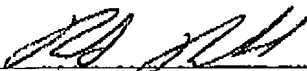
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Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Advisory Action dated January 22, 2004. A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for two months is submitted herewith. Please amend the application as follows: